

REMARKS

Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of this application. The Specification is amended to remove the allegedly non-statutory subject matter. It is respectfully submitted that the machine-accessible medium as claimed is directed to statutory subject matter. The full-text of paragraph [0034] with deletion marked up is shown on p. 2 of the current response. Withdrawal of the rejection is respectfully requested.


CONCLUSION

Applicants respectfully submit that the rejections have been overcome by the remarks, and that the pending claims are in condition for allowance. Accordingly, Applicants respectfully request the rejections be withdrawn and the pending claims be allowed.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)(3), Applicants hereby request and authorize the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office to (1) treat any concurrent or future reply that requires a petition for extension of time as incorporating a petition for extension of time for the appropriate length of time and (2) charge all required fees, including extension of time fees and fees under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16 and 1.17, to Deposit Account No. 02-2666.

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